

**A SENATOR ON TRIAL**  
Gentleman From Delaware Charged  
With Abetting Embezzlement.  
**CASE AGAINST KENNEY**  
ALLEGED CONSPIRACY WITH A  
BANK TELLER.

The Two Gambled In Stocks and the

Wilmington, Del., Dec. 5.—United States Senator Richard G. Kenney of Delaware was today placed on trial in the United States circuit court for the second time on the charges growing out of the looting of the First National bank of Dover, by its teller, William R. Boggs. Kenney was last arraigned on the charge of aiding and abetting Boggs in misappropriating the bank's funds in July, and a trial lasting over one week the jury disagreed. Since then the charge of conspiracy has been joined to the charges.

The charge of a shortage in the bank came in May, 1895, when Teller Boggs suddenly left Dover. The bank's books for 1894 have been examined and found to be short \$197,000.

Richardson, president of the bank came to the rescue and saved the institution from failure. Boggs subsequently gave himself up and admitted his defalcation, at the same time making statements which led to the arrest of Senator Kenney and

the latter have been convicted and are now serving terms in the Trenton penitentiary. Boggs pleaded guilty and is

The evidence against Senator Kenney deals largely with numerous stock transactions in which he and Boggs were interested.

During his last trial Senator Kenney was represented by Senator Gray, his colleague in the senate, and Levi C. Bird. Senator Gray is now in Paris with the peace commission, and ex-Attorney John Riera is assisting Mr.

District Attorney Vandergrift represents the government in the prosecution.

Court did not open until nearly noon and then took a recess until 2:30 p. m., when the examination of witnesses began before a courtroom that was crowded to the doors.

In his opening address to the jury, District Attorney Vandergrift said he would be able to prove that Senator Kennedy drew money from the bank to which he was not entitled, and used it to tide over difficulties brought upon him by stock speculations. He said that by an arrangement with Borgis

Boggs making the defendant's account balance by the use of other money in

H. A. Richardson, president of the bank, said that Boggs' connection with the institution was not until it came to the attention of the directors in August, 1936, that Boggs had been in the bank for some time. The bank was forgiven. Witnesses had no further reason to suspect Boggs until after his flight in May, 1936. Mr. Richardson said that he had no reason to believe that the bank was able to continue by himself and others guaranteeing the bank's obligations. He said that the bank's capital stock from \$100,000 to \$500,000.

A cause of delay and argument at the former trial was avoided today by the admission of numerous checks drawn by Senator Kenney to the order of the First National bank. These covered the period from May to September, 1936, and aggregated nearly \$3,000. Of these, \$1,000 were for the purchase of stock dealings with E. B. Cuthbert & Co. of Philadelphia. It was admitted that the Kenney signature checks for \$1,000 of the amount suggested in

The remainder represented his own dealings.

kenney and Cuthbert & Co. were also present. The latter, however, refused further payment on stock and dealings in regard to the stock, but none of the telegrams were read to the jury. Court then adjourned until tomorrow.

### SPANIARDS DEAD BROKE.

**Captain General Raided a Bank, But Got Nothing.**

New York, Dec. 5.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Havana says: The straits of the Spanish authorities gave rise to a sensational episode last week. Captain General Céspedes went in person to the Spanish bank of Cuba and demanded \$500 in cash. He was accompanied by subordinate officials. The bank refused to comply, and the captain general offered a receipt or due bill of the government. The president of the bank declared that it had not the cash to make good the demand. The captain general directed the cash drawers to be

done, but no money was obtained. A meeting of the directors was then called. Instead of finding means to

the refusal of the president to supply funds and affirmed a notice previously sent to depositors, asking them to withdraw their deposits temporarily from the bank because of its semi-official relation to the Spanish gov-

ernment. It has heretofore submitted to these enforced contributions, but the expectation of tardy American con-

advance no more funds. Though American authorities was not established, the Spanish troops were told there was no probability of the bank yielding to Castellano's demand. Other financial institutions support its position.

When the Spanish troops evacuated the Holguin, in Santiago province, the military commander went to the Holguin bank to obtain money. He forcibly took what cash was left and gave a government due bill. The incident had given warning to the directors of the bank, and they had anticipated it and they had prepared for a visit from the captain general.

Notwithstanding the captain general's order to obtain money, the dissatisfaction of the troops over their pay is repressed and the embarkation

INSURANCE ON SKY-SCRAPERS.

**New York Fire May Cause Advance**  
**In Rates.**

New York, Dec. 5.—A large force of firemen was still busy this morning, pouring water into the buildings involved in the big Broadway fire last night.

Deputy Chief Crocker stated that, in his opinion, the fire did not do as much heavy damage as was at first estimated. He places the total loss at \$500,000.

The fire is feared by underwriters as one of the most significant in recent years, and will undoubtedly have an important effect on the rates charged for insurance for that class of buildings. Underwriters have been frank to admit for a year or more that the insurance on fireproof buildings was, to a large extent, guesswork, since they had no reliable data to govern calculations of that sort.

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